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Secretary.

The Board of Revenue, ~~Revenue Settlement, etc.~~ Land Revenue. and ~~Separate Revenue.~~

Resolution ~~Reference.~~

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Comr. of Land Revenue and Settlement.-

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Read the following paper:-

C-1 statement for the week ending 26th January 1924 submitted by the Collector of Bellary, dated 28th January 1924.

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Resolution-

Submitted to Government.

2. The attention of the Collector is invited to section 129 of the Famine Code as amended by correction slip No. XVIII of 1923 and he is informed that the allowance to be made on account of wastage in cleaning should be a fixed proportion of the cash value of the grain equivalent according to market price. The method adopted by the Collector of fixing the price basis after

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deducting from the market price the allowance for wastage is not in strict accordance with the requirements of the Code.

(True Extract)

Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

To the Collector of Bellary.

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B.F. XXXV-A-1—300—25-1-24.

Form C-I.—Statement of numbers on relief works in the district of *Bellary* for the week ending *26. 1. 24.*

| Taluk. | Area under famine relief. | | | | | | Tract under observation and test. | | | Grand total. | Grand total (last week). | *Yellow* Price of staple grain (in seers of 80 tolas per rupee) on last day of the week. | *Cholam* Price of staple (in seers of 80 tolas per rupee) on last day of the preceding week. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Number of works. | Number of workers. | Gratuitous and special relief. | | | Grand total on relief. | Number of works. | Number of workers. | Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief. | | | | | |
| | | | Dependants of relief workers relieved on works. | Number relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc. | Total. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| | | | | | | | 1 | *Kolar test work* | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | *20. 1. 24* 772 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | *21. 1. 24* 763 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | *22. 1. 24* 938 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | *23. 1. 24* 919 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | *24. 1. 24* 880 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | *25. 1. 24* 7 *Rest day* | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | *26. 1. 24* 887 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 7 | 5166 | | 5466 | 3935 | 8. 84 | 8. 84 | *fit for Consumption* (price basis) |
| | | | | | | | | 738 | | | | 8. 32 | 8. 32 | |

(1) *Cooly classes are mostly affected. The number of workers increased on 22. 1. 24. Proposals for converting the test work into relief have been sent.*

(2) *People are reporting to the work. No signs of depression among the workers. No influx of foreigners.*

*Work is good.*

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B.P. XXXV-A-1—300—25-1-24.

Form C-1.—Statement of numbers on relief works in the district of Bellary for the week ending 26.1.24

| Taluk. | Area under famine relief. | | | | | | Tract under observation and test. | | | Grand total. | Grand total (last week). | Yellow Cholam Price of staple grain (in seers of 80 tolas per rupee) on last day of the week. | Price of staple (in seers of 80 tolas per rupee) on last day of the preceding week. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Number of works. | Number of workers. | Gratuitous and special relief. | | | Grand total on relief. | Number of works. | Number of workers. | Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief. | | | | | |
| | | | Dependants of relief workers relieved on works. | Number relieved in villages, kitchens, poorhouses, etc. | Total. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| | | | | | | | | 1. Kolar task work. | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 20-1-24 772 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 21-1-24 763 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 22-1-24 938 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 23-1-24 919 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 24-1-24 880 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 25-1-24 7 Receiving | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 26.1-24 887 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 1 | 5166 | | 5166 | 3935 | 8.84<br>8.32 | 8.84<br>8.32 | fit for Consumption (price basis) |
| | | | | | | | | 718 | | | | | | |

(1) Cooly classes are mostly affected. The number of workers increased on 22.1.24.

Proposals for converting the task work into relief have been send.

(2) People are reporting to the work. No signs of depression among the workers. No influx of foreigners.

Read & intimated to send the proposals for conversion of task work into relief.

Health of the people on the work is good

(4) No relief to weavers is necessary. February Kist in 102 villages has been postponed till March. Special loans establishment has been working

(5) State of public health is good. No epidemics except small pox in the Bellary town.

(6) The average number relieved in the private Kitchen at Koluk during the week is 160

(7) Loans.

| | In the week | | upto the week | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Amount granted | Amount disbursed | Amount granted | Amount disbursed | No. of wells for which loans have been granted | No. completed | No. in progress |
| L.I.L. Act | Rs 4750 | Rs 4750 | 64,655 | 64,655 | 12 | | 12 |
| Agl. Act | 7680 | 7680 | | | | | |
| | 12430 | 12430 | | | | | |

(Two granted during the week)

(8) No private / aided works

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Note.—In the 'Remarks' column information should be given on the following heads :—

(1) Whether distress is acute or slight, increasing or decreasing, the classes mostly affected, and the cause of any marked rise or fall in the number of persons reported to be on relief.

(2) Whether the people are resorting freely to relief works, clinging to their homes or concentrating in towns. Whether there is much wandering, any general appearance of emaciation among applicants for relief, any large influx of foreigners, etc.

(3) The physical condition of the people on relief, particularly of the women and children, and of the labouring and cultivating classes generally.

(4) The sufficiency of relief measures, and any special measures, such as relief to weavers and artisans in their own trade, the grant of advances, suspensions of land revenue, importation of fodder for cattle, measures to improve the water-supply, etc.

(5) The state of the public health and the prevalence of epidemics.

(6) The need for private charitable relief for clothing, medical comforts, or other objects, and the extent to which it is being met.

(7) The amount of loans granted and disbursed under each Act and the number of wells on which work has been completed or is in progress.

(8) When private or aided works are affording important relief, the number of persons relieved on such works so far as known.

In those districts were the weekly season reports are telegraphed, the information specified above should be noted in the telegrams.

If famine-relief measures are in progress in any Native State under the political control of the Local Government, separate statistics should be entered as far as possible for such States.